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I INFORMED DUTCH CONSUL MELISSEN TODAY OF ADDITIONAL MESSAGE SENT BY AMBASSADOR VERKADE, AND HE WILL OF COURSE COOPERATE. IN TELLING MELISSEN MAY 31 ABOUT MUGWADI, I STRESSED LATTER'S GREAT UNRELIABILITY. I NOTED THAT WE HAVE CAUGHT MUGWADI IN FURTHER LIES DURING LAST FEW DAYS ABOUT HIS SUPPOSED (BUT ACTUALLY NON-EXISTENT CONTACTS LAST WEEK IN BUJUMBURA; HOWEVER, WE ALL AGREE TO HEARING HIM OUT IF HE SURFACES LOCALLY, FOR WHATEVER HE IS WORTH. INCIDENTALLY, MELISSEN, IN UNILATERAL ACTIVITY, HAS MADE CONTACT WITH BELGIAN TUGBOAT CAPTAIN AND GREEK FISHERMAN IN LAKE WHO HAS CONTACTS ON ZAIRE SIDE. WHILE NOT DISCOURAGING HIS INFORMATION GATHERING, I WILL TRY TO MAKE SURE THAT WE AND MELISSEN ARE FULLY COORDINATED.

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